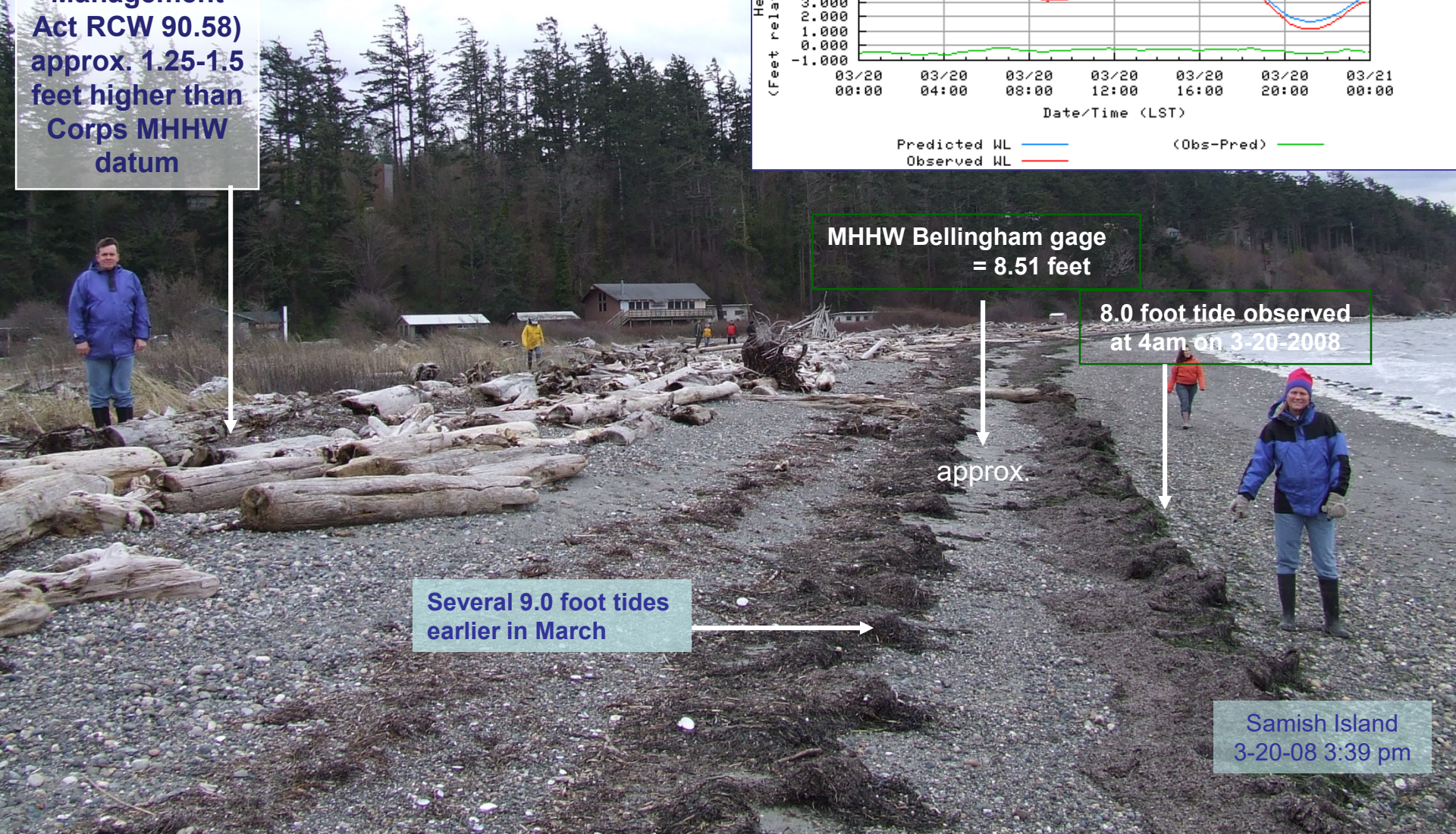
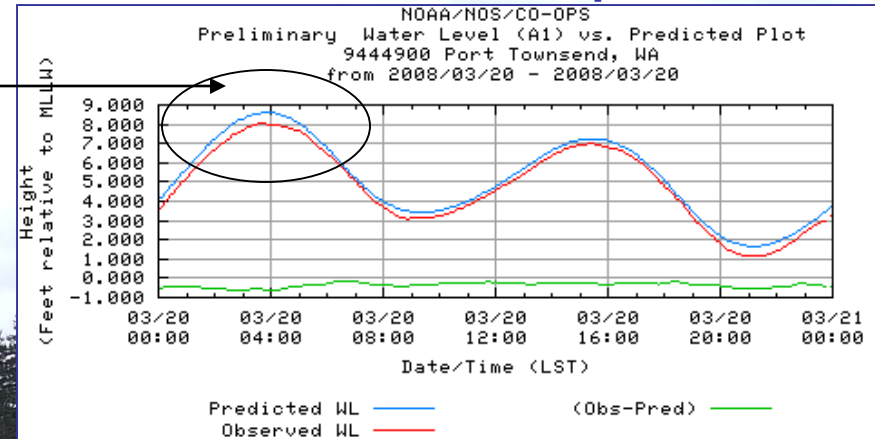


Difference between Corps MHHW datum and Shoreline Management Act OHWM at Samish Island sand spit

OHWM
(Shoreline Management Act RCW 90.58)
approx. 1.25-1.5 feet higher than Corps MHHW datum

Bellingham	Higher High Water 4:00 am 3-20-08
Predicted	8.5 feet
Observed	8.0 feet



MHHW Bellingham gage
= 8.51 feet

8.0 foot tide observed
at 4am on 3-20-2008

approx.

Several 9.0 foot tides
earlier in March

Samish Island
3-20-08 3:39 pm